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INTELLIGENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Minutes of Meeting Held in Director's
Conference Room, Administration Building
Central Intelligence Agency on 23 October 1952

Director of Central Intelligence
General Walter Bedell Smith
Presiding

MEMBERS PRESENT

Mr. W. Park Armstrong, Jr., Special Assistant, Intelligence
Department of State
Brigadier General John M. Willems, Acting for Assistant Chief of Staff,
G-2, Department of the Army
Rear Admiral R. F. Stout, Acting Director of Naval Intelligence
Department of the Navy
Major General John A. Samford, Director of Intelligence, Headquarters,
United States Air Force
Dr. Walter F. Colby, Director of Intelligence, Atomic
Energy Commission
Brigadier General Edward H. Porter, Deputy Director for Intelligence
The Joint Staff
Mr. Victor P. Keay, Acting for Assistant to the Director,
Federal Bureau of Investigation

ALSO PRESENT

Mr. Loftus E. Becker, Central Intelligence Agency
Dr. Sherman Kent, Central Intelligence Agency
Mr. Robert Amory, Jr., Central Intelligence Agency

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Mr. Jack W. Lydman, Department of State
Lt. Colonel T. C. Anderson, Department of the Army
Captain Allan L. Reed, USN, Department of the Navy
Lt. Colonel C. D. Sullivan, Department of the Air Force
Lt. Colonel A. L. Cushing, Department of the Air Force
Colonel S. M. Lansing, The Joint Staff
Captain Charles M. Heberton, USN, The Joint Staff

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Secretary

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Approval of Minutes

1. Action: The minutes of the last meeting, 16 October 1952 (IAC-M-84) were approved.

Communist Intentions and Capabilities
in Asia (NIE-47)

2. Action: Approved as revised.

Progress Report (IAC-PR-27)

3. Action: Noted.

Time Table for Russian Attack
Against the West

4. Action: It was agreed that the IAC Members will, on the basis of preliminary drafting by CIA/ONE and Agency representatives, prepare a paper for the Director to make available to the President on a long range estimate of Russian capabilities and intentions.

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